



## Big Canoe Carnival

### 3-Day Celebration In Sports and Fun To Conclude With 50-Mile Canoe Trip

#### STREET PARADE USHERS IN BIG EVENT FRIDAY

Window announcements are in the process of distribution and plans are reaching completion for Grayling's revival of the Canoe carnival and Trip-Down-the-AuSable, scheduled to be staged next Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The most complete program in the history of the event is planned by the committee composed of Spike McNeven, chairman; Holger Peterson and "Blackie" Levan assisting.

Although the highlight of the festival will be reached with the famous trip down the river, local interests have not been spared in rounding out the program. Something to hold both Grayling and summer people's attention is slated for every minute of every day during the carnival.

Festivities start with a bang Friday afternoon at 1 p. m. when the parade winds its way through the streets. Floats from neighboring communities, merchants of Grayling and firms doing business in this city are entered. Many of the sponsors have put a great deal of thought, time and money into the entries and indications are that there will be some excellent displays.

The city is to be "dressed-up" by Jack Davis, Bay City decorator, whose work on other festivals has been the object of no little praise. Individual business houses, light posts and the streets proper will take on a festive air with the hanging of the decorations.

In charge of the pastimers throughout the season, Blackie Levan, Grayling's baseball czar, announces that negotiations are in the mail to sign either or both Kalkaska and Marcellona for the carnival opposition. There will be games Friday and Saturday and possibly Sunday. The Sabbath tilt is designed to hold the local interest while visitors are making their way down the river.

A free boxing match, offering as the principals a group of fast, hard hitting mitt-slingers from the CCC camps, is in the offing for Saturday night. A complete list of entries has not been compiled, but there will be worthwhile fights in practically every weight division.

Traverse City is sending its crack Drum and Bugle Corps for the occasion. It will be accompanied by the Forty and Eight Division of the American Legion. Together with the several bands coming for the event, the Traverse outfit will keep interest at a high pitch during the festival with its stirring music.

Old folks and kiddies alike will view with interest the Old Time Fourth of July program on Friday and Saturday. A tentative list of the events includes: bag races, potato races, water battles, foot races, pig races and turtle races. Prizes for the winners are promised.

In addition to the dance at the Officers Club, the committee has arranged for street parties to occupy the spotlight of the evening's entertainment. And for those who do not care to dance there will be a band concert every night.

Sunday morning the carnival comes to a dramatic anti-climax with the start of the Trip-Down-the-AuSable. The writer has heard no end to the enthusiasm with which the announcement of the trip was received in nearby communities and resort centers. It is not at all improbable that every available canoe within a scope of fifty miles will be taxed for the occasion and many people left on the banks wishing they had sent in reservations.

The Trip-Down-the-AuSable is

one of the most beautiful and picturesque inland river excursions in the middle west. It is universally familiar to Grayling residents but represents something strange, something fascinating, a trip almost unbelievable to outsiders not acquainted with the vicinity and what it offers the summer population. When the carnival was inaugurated two years ago people came from all parts of the country to make the trip. One aged couple from Germany was among the passengers. There has been no end to the letters of commendation Mr. McNeven has received since the 1932 venture. Last year it was dropped, only to be revived this spring by local enthusiasts.

A great deal of time and energy is being expended by the committee in charge. Spike relates how two years ago he and his crew went four days and four nights with little or no sleep to complete the plans for the event, and he doesn't believe this year will be any exception. Many unforeseen details must be cared for at the last minute and in the endeavor to keep all visitors occupied and happy something must be going on every moment. With that thought in mind the committee has labored untiringly in the interests of the community.

The trip starts at 9 a. m. Sunday. Riverboats and canoes will comprise the flotilla, but if the expected registration turns out to be employed as in 1932. The committee is securing every possible boat in the district. In order that the guides may not suffer the loss of time and money and in the effort to insure them a square deal all the way around the committee has announced that each man furnishing a boat for the trip will be paid one dollar.

Along the river at strategic points entertainment and music will be offered the excursionists. One beer garden operator announces he is attempting to secure permission to float a platform halfway down the stream, on which his dance orchestra will play as the boats pass. The bands in attendance at the carnival will also be located at picturesque spots along the banks. A lunch will be served somewhere in the neighborhood of Stephens Landing.

This year, to help defray expenses, the committee is making a small charge for the ride. It has been set at fifty cents and includes boats, guide and the lunch.

The trip terminates at Lincoln Lodge at the junction of the north and south branches of the stream. There the proprietor of the lodge will serve dinner to the riders, who by that time will no doubt have worked up quite an appetite. Reservations are coming in rapidly and anyone desiring to send one to a friend may secure the same from Mr. McNeven.

#### LADIES AUXILIARY GUESTS OF GAYLORD GOLF CLUB

Twenty ladies went to Gaylord Tuesday and enjoyed golf and bridge at the Gaylord Country club.

Eleven golfers from here met the Gaylord golfers in an 18-hole tournament that resulted in Gaylord winning by 9 points. Mrs. Murray had low score (88) for Gaylord and Mrs. C. G. Clippert low score (104) for Grayling. Mrs. Roy Milnes and Miss Ella Hanson tied for the second low score (110) for Grayling. Mrs. Louise Connine and Mrs. Axel Michelson held the high and second high scores for bridge.

The Gaylord ladies were very gracious hostesses.

#### We Would All Feel Better



## Frank Dreese Funeral Today

### WAS FORMER GRAYLING BUSINESS MAN

Frank Dreese, age 76, passed away after a brief illness in Mercy Hospital Monday night. Death was caused by a heart ailment which had put him in feeble health for the past year. Funeral services were held here this morning, interment being in Elmwood cemetery.

Mr. Dreese came to Grayling from Sparta, Mich., March 3rd, 1914, when he purchased the bankrupt Mike Brenner stock, then located in the building that is now used as a barber shop by Ernest Olson and the Betty Mae Beauty shop. He continued in business at that place for a short time when he moved his stock into the Merriman building on the corner opposite the jail. He continued in business here for several years and in about the year 1919 he closed out his store and went to Edmore where he resumed business. A few years later he returned to Grayling and built the brick building that is now the electric office, where he resumed his clothing and shoe business. He again gave up his business career here and returned to Edmore. For the past year he has been again residing here.

Most of our older residents will recall "Frank's Lemon Colored Store on the hill." This term he employed in his advertising and his name was well known all over this part of Michigan. He had a unique and successful way of pushing business and attracting trade. He was keen in business but was always honest in his transactions. He was friendly and enjoyed his friends. He was fond of music and enjoyed singing and possessed a pleasing tenor voice. He liked hunting and fishing and but few seasons passed when he failed to get his deer. His accuracy with the rifle was quite surprising even in his late years. We can recall how he was able to hold his own against other younger men on the gymnasium floor, even though he was well up toward the seventies in age. Frank Dreese was a good citizen and was held in good esteem by those who knew and understood him best.

He was laid to rest this forenoon in Elmwood cemetery. Among flowers placed about his bier as tokens of respect and kind memories, was a large wreath that represented the business men of Grayling. He leaves behind many pleasant memories of his citizenship here.

He is survived by a twin sister—Mrs. Frank Kichline of Cincinnati, Ohio, who, with her husband and Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Dreese of Jackson, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Dreese, of Alanson, and Miss Minnie May Anderson of Detroit, other near relatives, were present at his funeral. Services were held in the Sorenson funeral parlors, by Rev. H. J. Salmon of Michelson Memorial church. Old friends served as pall bearers.

#### SIX BABY GIRLS BORN

There were six new arrivals in Grayling this week and the Stork seems to have got the idea that only girls are wanted for all are girls. Monday the seventh daughter Rose Marie was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hewitt at Mercy Hospital. The same morning Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wurzburg (Kathryn Brown) of Rockford, became the proud parents of a daughter, who will be known as Kathryn Yvonne. Tuesday evening a ten pound girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kinnee. Gloria and Donna Kinnee are very proud of their new little sister. Her name is Jacqueline Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gross (Anna Swanson) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter Wednesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Papendiek of Beaver Creek are happy over the arrival of an 8 1/2 pound daughter July 31. She will be known as Ruth Elizabeth.

Yesterday a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Isenbauer at Mercy Hospital. Mrs. Isenbauer was formerly Hazel Hoffman.

## Free Canning Service For County Families

The Emergency Relief Administration has started a Canning Project at the Domestic Science room of the High school. Anyone having vegetables or fruits to can may do so at any time by notifying the local Welfare one or two days in advance.

This service is free to anyone not able to buy their own equipment, as cans will be furnished. Also anyone having their own cans may take advantage of this opportunity and pay for the service at 6 cents per pint and 7 cents per quart.

Canning will also be done in tin cans which will be furnished at the same price for those able to pay. See the Welfare Dept. in regard to this, or Miss Betty Jerome at the Domestic Science room on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

#### HOSPITAL APPRECIATES HELP

Busy days and over-crowded conditions at the hospital during the past few weeks have prevented us from sooner giving public thanks to Mercy Hospital Aid and the many other friends who so nobly rallied forth to make the festival held at the Wolf Farm such a marked success. We take pleasure now in doing so heartily and sincerely.

"Every little bit helps" is an old adage well true in regard to Grayling Mercy Hospital. Although we are looking forward hopefully to a rift in the clouds caused by the late depression, expenses have continued to mount high in hospital work, without a balancing increase in income. Grayling Mercy Hospital, thru the kindness and good will of the people of Crawford county, was voted an appropriation of \$1000.00 per annum in 1930. This was paid for the years 1930 and 1931 only, and the hospital has not received it since and has struggled along without it during the hardest years of its existence, viz: 1932, 1933, and thus far in 1934. May some kind fate again place the appropriation in our hands so that our debts, too, may be liquidated.

HERB GOTHRO,  
Village Treasurer.

#### Village Taxes Due

The payment of village taxes is now due. These may be paid at my barber shop any day of the week except Saturday.

HERB GOTHRO,  
Village Treasurer.

## Autos Crash Injuring Five

In an automobile crash that occurred last Thursday evening at about nine o'clock in the downtown district five young people were injured, two of them quite seriously.

Miss Jean Peterson driving a Chevrolet had with her Miss Vivian Dawson and the latter's cousin, Misses Nadine and Beryl Pobur of Detroit, and she was coming up Michigan avenue and stopped for the stop street—US-27. When she started to cross the highway, a car driven by Richard B. Grant of Vanderbilt coming from the south on the highway crashed into them. It is reported that Grant was traveling at such a high rate of speed that he was unable to stop. In his car with him were Howard Smith, and Misses Sue McPherson and Sue Wickes, all summer residents at Higgins Lake.

Miss Nadine Pobur and Miss Jean were the most seriously injured. Both are at Mercy Hospital and the former is suffering with a concussion near the left ear and Miss Jean has a bad laceration on the right side of her face. However both are getting along nicely. The other two young ladies in the Peterson car and Miss Wickes occupant of the Grant car escaped with minor cuts and bruises, and all remained at the hospital for overnight.

Miss Jean is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson, Miss Vivian the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson and the Misses Pobur, the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. William Pobur of Detroit. Miss Pobur was formerly Miss Olga Peterson and the family were here from Detroit enjoying an outing at Lake Margrethe.

#### WOUGHTER-KIDSTON VOWS SPOKEN AT QUIET EVENT

Miss Ada Kidston became the bride of Dr. Harold Woughter in a quiet ceremony this morning. (Thursday, July 19) at 9 o'clock before a small group of intimate friends and relatives. The bride's father, Allyn Kidston of Mackinaw City, who gave her in marriage came on from his home Monday and the ceremony was performed in the new home of the couple at 2521 Thomas street. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Holden Woughter, Stevenson street.

The ceremony took place before the fireplace which was graced by large baskets of garden flowers. Rev. A. A. Trembert officiated at the ceremony. The bride wore a smart frock of navy blue sheer material with touches of white at the neckline. She was hatless for the ceremony and wore a corsage of gardenias. Her attendant, Miss Zada Hansen was attired in a deep rose jacket frock and wore a corsage of Johanna Hill roses. Robert Jefferson served as best man.

Mrs. Woughter, mother of the bridegroom was attired in a white frock for the occasion, her corsage being of Talisman roses. Afterwards a reception for the wedding guests was held and refreshments served. Among the guests was the grandmother of the bridegroom from West Branch.

Dr. and Mrs. Woughter departed on a short wedding trip in northern Michigan. After the first of the week they will be at home at 2521 Thomas street. Going away, Mrs. Woughter wore a brown and white seersucker costume with brown accessories.—The Flint Daily Journal.

Mrs. Woughter spent her childhood in Grayling and was graduated from Grayling High school and she is also a graduate nurse of Hurley Hospital, Flint. Her hosts of Grayling friends extend sincere congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients at Mercy Hospital are: Norma Parkinson, Jean Peterson, Margaret Moggo, Aletha Young, Evangeline and Genevieve Kolka, of Grayling.

Miss Nadine Pobur and Samuel Green, of Detroit.

Mrs. Don L. Robinson, Mrs. Ella Moore and Mrs. Ethel Kellogg have been dismissed.

**Shoddy**  
During the Civil war, some of the soldiers uniforms were made of shoddy. The term then came into general use for describing anything that was inferior or adulterated.

Mercy Hospital.

#### AUXILIARY GIVES DRESS-UP PARTY

Mrs. Jarleaux' wax figures had nothing on the get-ups that appeared at the Golf club house Wednesday afternoon for pot luck luncheon.

It was the regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary, and the shouts of laughter grew louder and louder with the approach of each arrival as the room filled with the funniest and most unique costumes that one could ever imagine.

Some forty ladies sat down to small tables which had been set for the luncheon. Following the business meeting the ladies played golf or bridge. The low score for golf was 56 and was a tie for Mrs. Roy Milnes and Miss Thomas. Mrs. Milnes drew the prize. Mrs. H. A. Bauman held the high score for bridge.

Judges on the costumes were: Mrs. R. A. Bauman, and Mrs. C. T. Kerry and Dr. Hutchinson of Saginaw. After much deliberation and many ballots the committee made the following report: Mrs. Lorane Sparkes first prize for the funniest get-up; second prize, Mrs. George Kraus; honorable mention for Mrs. Oscar Schumann for character impersonation; Miss Horwich for Hawaiian costume and Miss Betty Welsh for cowboy outfit.

The party was one of the pleasantest of the season for the auxiliary.

## Candidates Qualified For Primary Election

United States Senator.  
Democratic—Alva M. Cummins, Lansing; Claude S. Carney, Kalamazoo; Ray D. Schneider, Detroit.

Republican—Arthur H. Vandenberg, Grand Rapids.

Governor  
Democratic—William A. Comstock, Ann Arbor; Arthur J. Lacy, Detroit; John K. Stack, Jr., Escanaba.

Republican—Frank D. Fitzgerald, Grand Ledge; Alexander J. Groesbeck, Detroit; Orla A. Bailey, Byron; John W. Smith, Detroit.

Lieutenant Governor  
Democrat—Patrick H. Kane, Port Huron; Allen E. Stebbins, Ionia; John T. Bailey, Benton Harbor.

Republican—Ernest T. Conlon, Grand Rapids; Fred R. Ming, Cheboygan; Thomas Read, Shelby.

Representative in Congress  
Democrat—Mrs. Woodbridge N. Ferris, Big Rapids; Hubert J. Gaffney, Bay City; William J. Kelly, Bay City; Otto C. Schroeder, Long Lake.

Republican—Roy O. Woodruff, Bay City.

State Senator—28th District  
Republican—Ben Carpenter, Harrison; Ben C. Mercer, Clare.

State Representative—Presque Isle District  
Democrat—Frank P. Buza, Rogers City; Herbert Hain, Rogers City; James R. Snody, Onaway.

Republican—William Green, Hillman.

County Sheriff  
Republican—Frank Bennett.

No other names filed.

Prosecuting Attorney  
Republican—Merle F. Nellist.

No other names filed.

Treasurer  
Democrat—Clayton D. Straehly.

Republican—William Ferguson, Ernest P. Richardson, Charles Gierke.

Clerk  
Democrat—Axel Peterson.

Republican—E. Lorane Sparkes, John LaMotte.

Register of Deeds  
Democrat—Ronnon Hanson, Joseph Galdner.

Court Commissioner  
Republican—Merle F. Nellist.

County Road Commissioner  
Republican—Harry W. Souders.

Coroners  
Republican—Arthur E. Wendt, Harry Sorenson.

Primary election will be held on Tuesday, September 11th.

In cases where there was but one candidate to file petitions for an office, he was automatically declared nominated and such name does not appear on a primary ballot.

#### Notice

GRASSHOPPER POISON

Grasshopper Poison will be on hand at County Infirmary until Saturday, August 11th, included. Mrs. Laura Olson, E. R. A. Adm.

## CCC Men Hear Forestry Lecture

Eight CCC companies were in attendance at a lecture given by H. N. Wheeler from the Washington office of the U. S. Forest Service at the Grayling high school auditorium Thursday of last week. Camps represented were Higgins Lake, Pioneer, AuSable, Hartwick Pines, Houghton Lake, Fife Lake, Molasses River, and Ogemaw, each sending approximately 160 men which packed every available bit of space.

Mr. Wheeler emphasized that 51% of forest fires were caused by careless smokers, and that another 11% are maliciously set. Michigan has 21,000,000 acres, he claimed, of land unprofitable for any other purposes than forestry. He told of what work was being done over this country by CCC men, the necessity of controlling fire and eradication of pests and diseases that destroy trees.

Other features of the talk emphasized the benefits of game refuge, the work of the United States forestry service, and the value of conservation for tourist business. Well chosen colored slides illustrated the lecture.

The speaker was introduced by Capt. T. J. Betts, district commander. Capt. Betts is commander of the 4th Forestry district. State foremen of the Michigan Emergency Conservation work, Army officers, Educational Advisers, and Conservation officers were also in attendance.

#### LARGE CLASS TO RECEIVE 1ST HOLY COMMUNION

Sunday morning, August 5, will present a scene dear especially to the hearts of all children, it being the First Communion Day for a large class of children of St. Mary's parish. Services will begin at 8:30 with the Reverend Joseph Culligan officiating. The class will form procession at the rectory and march to the church. Miss Lysaght at the organ. During the mass special music will be rendered by the regular choir, and the children will sing, "Jesus, Thou Art Coming," and "Soul of My Savior."

The following children will be participants: Billy Bielaki, George Bielaki, George Denewett, Lawrence Denewett, Junior Gannon, James Kolka, Carl Negake, Teddy Nelson, Junior Nelson, Bobby Nelson, Carl Henry Nielson, Jack Perry, Richard Rasmussen, Edmund Rutkowski, Monica Brady, Rose Bielaki, Rosemary Charron, Ruth Ann Deffrain, Patricia Hewitt, Marian Kasper, Donna Lee LaMotte, Ruth Mary LaMotte, Leora LaBean, Leona LaBean, Charlotte Kolka, Shirley Nelson, and Anna Weiss.

## Rialto Theatre

#### PROGRAM

Saturday, August 4th (only)  
Continuous Show from 3:00 P. M. to Closing.

Richard Dix  
in  
"HIS GREATEST GAMBLE"

Novelty  
Comedy Cartoon

Sunday and Monday, Aug. 5-6  
Sunday Show Continuous from 3:00 P. M. to Closing

Walter Connolly and Doris Kenyon  
in  
"WHOM THE GODS DESTROY"

Silly Symphony  
Comedy News

Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 7-8  
Diana Wynard and Clive Brooks  
in  
"WHERE SINNERS MEET"

Comedy Novelty  
Thursday and Friday, Aug. 9-10  
Myrna Loy and George Brent  
in  
"STAMBOUL QUEST"

Comedy News  
Saturday and Sunday shows start at 3:00-5:00-7:00 and 9:00 o'clock.

## NOTICE

All bills for April and May with the E. R. A. of Crawford County, must be on file here not later than August 5th.

Also all accounts of the current months must be presented not later than the 5th of the month following, as demanded by the State Welfare Department.

Mrs. Laura Olson.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 2, 1934.

ATTENTION has been called by this paper several times to the importance of speed traffic regulation within our city limits, and especially in the business district. However fast driving in the downtown district seems to go on just the same. We have felt that there was no need of being small and penurious and causing the arrest of everyone violating the speed laws, for that would mean about everyone driving a car, but that a reasonable enforcement should be had. While sometimes outsiders zip thru town at dangerously fast speeds, still our own people are just as great offenders. Just because most drivers are on the lookout for the other fellow, as well as being careful drivers themselves, accidents have been few. But one can't always judge what the other fellow is going to do. The crash that occurred last Thursday night on Michigan avenue and U. S. 27 would never have happened if the car coming from the south had been complying with the speed laws instead of traveling at 50 miles an hour or faster, as is reported. Parties in the Hanson gas station claim that their attention was called to the car as it passed that place because of its excessive speed and in another instant there was the crash. No lives were lost but several were hurt and one young girl will carry a scar on her face for the rest of her life, and two cars were demolished. The offending driver, it is said, claimed that he did not realize that he was in a city. At 9:00 p. m. this street is ablaze with lights from the river for four blocks north. Also at the corner as one comes into town there is a traffic sign that says "20 miles." There was either something wrong with the driver's eyesight or else he showed an utter disregard for the law. We're very glad, however, that there were enough sensible people in the crowd to prevent the young man from being mobbed, which looked somewhat threatening for a time. He did everything afterwards that could be done and remained at the hospital until the injured ones were cared for. He no doubt will be made to answer in court for his fracture of the state traffic laws and probably will be penalized—either by paying a fine or by having to serve time in jail or prison. That's the law and he alone is to blame for his accident. It is quite a miracle that no lives were lost.

IT HAS been suggested that whenever a person is caught speeding in town on U. S. 27 that an officer compel him to drive back to the sign that says "20 miles an hour" and compel him to read the words out loud ten times. And we think that is a very good idea. If that doesn't cure him from fast driving, then give him a ticket. And no fooling.

**SPECIAL WATERWORKS ELECTION**

Next Wednesday, August 8th, the question of the new waterworks will come before the tax payers of Grayling. Polls will be

open from 7:00 o'clock in the morning until 8:00 o'clock in the evening.

Mortgage revenue bonds in the amount of \$37,500, which will be secured by the plant and the system only, will be issued. In this issue of the Avalanche and for the past two issues the proposal is printed in its full legal terms and should be carefully read by everyone interested.

Unlike school bonds and issues similar, a waterworks plant receives an income. School houses do not have an income, but instead every dollar raised by such bonds have to be paid back by the taxpayers. A waterworks system, such as is proposed here, receives an income from water users. It is estimated that this should be self-liquidating and it should easily be paid for out of the moneys received from water users.

At the present time we have a system that is inadequate and expensive in operation and the water supplied is unfit for drinking and household uses. Besides there is a large area in our village that has no water at all, for domestic uses and also for fire protection.

With the new proposed system in operation good, pure water (which is available in unlimited abundance) will be supplied from 1 outlets. And also the system will provide many homes with water that are entitled to it and are not getting it. Especially is this true on the South Side where there are many splendid homes and good citizens that are entitled to waterworks service.

The bond holders will be the federal government. The members of our council and the engineers who drew up the plans say that in case it should happen that we were to default on our payments and that it would be necessary for the bond holders to take over and operate the system that in no way would it affect the taxpayers. This is the reason for the franchise which will become operative only in case of default in payment of bonds. In such case the government would take over the plant and operate it until such time as it has earned enough to repay the bondholders, after which the system would again be turned back to the village. Thus it appears that our property owners have nothing at stake that will in any way effect them.

When this proposal is approved and the new system installed it will mean good, pure water for all parts of the village and also better fire protection that also is badly needed. And this latter should place us in a lower insurance class and would mean a saving in insurance costs.

Work on the new system should begin within a few weeks, and would mean plenty of labor for our people for the coming fall. About \$13,500 of the cost of the system will be assumed by the federal government as an outright grant.

We have studied the question and heard the opinions of many well informed persons on the plan and all seem to feel that this is a most vital opportunity for the future progress of Grayling, and should be approved.

There will be ballots for the franchise and also for the bond issue. It is equally important that we vote "yes" on each question. Both must pass or the matter will fail entirely. Grayling is either going forward or it is going to go backward. It cannot stand still. So keep it going forward.

**FRED MING 'SITTING PRETTY'**

Al Weber of the Cheboygan Observer says that Fred Ming is "sitting pretty" insofar as his nomination for lieutenant governor is concerned. Thomas Read of Shelby and Ernest T. Conlon of Grand Rapids also are candidates for nominations for that office on the Republican ticket. Mr. Read served in that office from 1921 to 1924. Since that time Mr. Read hasn't been very active in political life.

Fred Ming was speaker of the house of representatives for two terms in succession—1929 to 1932. During that time he won a very wide acquaintance in the state of the kind of people who will be doing things for him in his campaign for lieutenant governor. He made a remarkable record as presiding officer in the House, and will be just as fine at the head of the Senate.

In all our acquaintance with public officials and men in public affairs, we don't know of anyone better fitted to be lieutenant governor of Michigan than Fred Ming. Also he is the kind of man everyone likes. And we'll bet that after he is elected he will expect his friends to continue calling him Fred just as they do now. Success to you, Fred.

**Notice**

After this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mary L. Hummel. 8-2-3 Alfred Hummel.

**NEWS BRIEFS**

Sam Gust left yesterday to enjoy several days at a Century of Progress in Chicago.

Mrs. Herbert Gothro is spending a week in Bay City as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Butler Jr., of Dearborn, are guests at the home of Floyd Taylor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sorenson and son Keith are spending two weeks in Newberry attending a convention of Probate judges.

Miss Vella Hermann, of Lansing, and Charles Hill, of Kingston, spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jarmine.

Mrs. Harold Jarmine spent several days last week in Petoskey as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson.

Miss Phyllis White, who had been spending the last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thorvald Sorenson, returned to her home at Houghton Lake yesterday.

Broilers, and stewing chickens; also fresh vegetables right from the garden to your home. R. W. Colleen, Poultry and Garden Farm, Lake Margrethe. 8-2-2

Mrs. Henry Bousson returned home Saturday night from Trout Lake after visiting Mr. Bousson, who is employed there, for several days.

Fred Welsh accompanied by his daughters Misses Betty and Gail, spent three days in Chicago last week enjoying a Century of Progress.

Einer Rasmussen and children Phyllis, Betty and Earl, of Marlette, are spending a few days here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rasmussen and the Adam Gierke family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher, parents of Mrs. George Schaeble, returned to their home in Lansing Monday after a couple of weeks visit at the Schaeble home at the Military reservation.

Mrs. Chas. Tromble and Mrs. A. E. Mason of Detroit arrived Tuesday to be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Michelson at Lake Margrethe. They will remain for the week.

Mrs. John Vaughn and daughter Patricia returned to Detroit the latter part of the week after spending several weeks here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Sivrais.

Cheboygan is holding a homecoming celebration, beginning today and continuing to Sunday evening. A very interesting and entertaining program is prepared for the occasion and the homecomers should have a grand time.

Mrs. Margaret Green and three sons, Gordon, Billie and John, of Detroit, are spending a week at their cottage at Lake Margrethe. They were accompanied by Ted Johnson who will spend the week camping at Collier's resort.

Will Heric enjoyed a visit over the week end from his sister Mrs. Harry Shoemaker (Phoebe Heric) and three children, Harry, Gerald, and Barbara. Mrs. Shoemaker was enroute to her home in Plymouth from Trout Lake, where she had been visiting.

Russell Robertson is enjoying a two weeks vacation from his duties at the Grayling Fish Hatchery. He left Thursday for Frankfort, and from there expected to go to Chicago to take in the World's Fair. He also will visit in Wisconsin while away.

Mrs. John Holliday of St. Helen entertained the Grayling members of the Ladies National League at her home Wednesday afternoon of last week. It was the regular social meeting of the League and Pedro was played for pastime and prizes awarded. There were about 20 ladies enjoyed the trip.

There will be an important meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary at the hall next Tuesday evening, Aug. 7. There will be annual election of officers and Mrs. Earl Dawson, district committeewoman of West Branch and Mrs. Myers of St. Helen will be here for the meeting. All members are requested to be present.

Mrs. S. D. Dunham was called to Detroit July 22d by the very serious illness and death of her mother, Mrs. Etta Gibson. Her funeral was held Wednesday P. M. at 2 o'clock at the M. E. church at Sterling, her former home. Her remains were laid to rest at the Sterling cemetery beside the body of her late husband, Oscar B. Gibson, who preceded her 8 years ago. Those that remain to mourn her loss are, three daughters and two sons, Mrs. S. D. Dunham, Grayling; Mrs. L. H. Quinton, Mrs. W. H. Holz, Mr. Roy Gibson, Detroit. Mr. Chaney Gibson, Sterling, besides nine grandchildren.

**STATE FAIR TO OPEN AUGUST 31****Hog Calling, Fireworks And Baby Contest Among Features**

Detroit—The 1934 Michigan State Fair at Detroit, Aug. 31 to Sept. 9, will be a salute to the New Deal and a triumphant pageant of the state's progress in agriculture and industry. James B. Jones, President of the Fair, declared today following a meeting of the Fair officials.

"The industrial, agricultural and educational exhibits will be instructive and of interest to every man, woman and child in the state," President Jones said.

That the Fair will be operated non-politically and the premiums for livestock, farm products and other exhibits will be given to Michigan exhibitors exclusively were two salient points stressed by Mr. Jones.

Specifically, the New Deal Fair beckons to the farmer by confining the cash prizes to Michigan residents. The 1934 premium list will surpass last year's figure by about \$40,000.

At the same time Educational and Automotive exhibits will be on display for those who are not interested in agriculture and livestock.

Art, needlework, home economics, canning and similar subjects are a part of the educational program which will prove instructive to girls and women. The automobile industry, the pride of Michigan, will be glorified with exhibits of the latest models in cars and new and interesting automotive devices.

The institutional exhibits will be highly educational and instructive as in other years, President Jones said. No prizes are offered in this department and the exhibitors will attend only through invitation.

For example, the Michigan School of Employment for the Blind at Saginaw will exhibit rugs, mops, brooms and brushes made by their inmates. Students will hold daily demonstrations showing how they weave rugs and manufacture brooms.

The state prison commission, the Detroit and State police departments are also listed as exhibitors this year. State hospitals whose inmates do therapy work, the Boys' Vocational School at Lansing, the Home and Training School of Lapeer and the William Maybury Sanitarium are among the other exhibitors.

The entertainment, always a factor in any Fair, will provide fun and amusement for child and adult alike. A "Million Dollar Midway," a rodeo with cowboys and cow punchers, a hog calling and husband calling contest, fireworks, a baby contest and a sheep shearing contest for the state championship are but a few of the features.

Dodson's World's Fair Shows will provide color for the midway. The show is said to be one of the largest shows of its kind on the road. The troupe of 500 travels on a train of 30 cars with 12 big riding devices and two bands. The show has 15 different acts with three features, the Valencians on their swinging pole, Billie Geyer, a daredevil aerialist, and Captain Dan Cherry, who dives 110 feet from a platform into a net.

Each of the ten days of the Fair, August 31 to September 9, inclusive, has been named and set aside for a purpose. Briefly, the program is as follows:

August 31—The Grand Opening in which the Fair will be opened to the public by State and City officials in elaborate ceremonies.

September 1—Industrial Day. This day is set aside to show a comprehensive picture of the importance of the Automobile Industry in Michigan.

September 2—Veterans' Day. Drum and Bugle Corps competition and a band contest will feature this day for the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Disabled Veterans.

September 3—Labor Day and Governor's Day. It is planned to have Governor Comstock and state officials present for the day's program.

September 4—Children's Day. A family day with fun for youngsters of every age. The 4-H clubs from all over the state will exhibit their livestock.

September 5—Michigan Day. This day is for recognition of the New Deal for State Fairs and the Michigan Farmer.

September 6—National Recovery Day. A demonstration to show the large part Michigan has played in speeding the nation to recovery will be held.

September 7—Farmer's Day. On this day a tribute will be paid to the Michigan Farmer, and people of the rural districts who have proved a vital factor in aiding state recovery.

September 8—Babies' Day. This day belongs to the youngsters and will be climaxed by a Better Babies Contest.

September 9—Church Day. This will be a non-denominational day in which families of every religion will be able to observe church services.

**Recreational Notes**

Due to the splendid work of Miss Reagan we now have 211 boys and girls taking part in our program.

The field day at Otsego Lake has been cancelled. The dropoff in Otsego Lake makes it inadvisable to hold swimming events there. We are trying to schedule baseball games to fill in our program.

The tennis tournament is in full swing. Several close matches have already been played. Twenty-two boys and girls are participating in twenty-six matches. Watch the bulletin board in the Post office for the results from day to day.

Those who haven't already enrolled still have two full weeks to enjoy the program.

Grayling Again Breaks Even. Tuesday Grayling invaded Grayling with their girls and boys soft ball teams. They returned home after losing a 31 to 4 walk-away to our girls but carrying away our boys' scalps 17 to 7.

Eva Bugby limited the Graylord lassies to six singles, struck out seven and walked none besides getting a home run and two singles in five trips up. Helen May led the offense with five hits in five attempts. B. Hutchins with two out of two led the Graylord attack.

The Graylord boys seemed to get the breaks and when Malonen dropped a hard fly, after making a great try for it, our boys temporarily lost their fighting spirit. Before they could recover it Graylord had a commanding lead of eight runs. The Graylord pitcher was given brilliant support. He limited Grayling to ten hits and one walk while striking out two. Simmons led the Graylord offense with four out of six.

The Grayling pitchers gave up 18 hits and one walk while striking out two. Twelve errors turned what might have been a close game into a one-sided battle. B. Hanson, Hull, Murphy and Wells collected two hits apiece.

This concludes the series, giving our girls two wins to balance off the two defeats for the boys. The box scores will be found on the bulletin board in the Post office.

**GRAYLING WINS FROM C.C.C. CAMP, 681 EIGHT TO FIVE**

Blackie's Blackbirds out slugged Co. 681 Sunday afternoon to add one more victory to their string of wins.

Smith, Grayling centerfielder, blasted out a home run in the first inning with Jimmie Post on second to give Grayling a lead but in the second inning 681 scored three runs to add to their two unearned runs garnered in the first inning to bring the score to 5-3. 681 was held scoreless from then until the seventh when they pushed one run across. This run failed to count however because the game was called after the first half of the seventh inning had been played and the score reverts to the previous inning.

Jack LaGrow led the Blackbirds with a perfect day at bat with three singles and a walk in four trips to the plate.

The few spectators present were entertained by the colored members of 681's team. These fellows with their humorous talking and comical actions almost stole the show.

Perry pitched for Grayling and allowed only 8 hits, 5 of which were in the second inning.

**Campaign Printing**

—done at this office at our regular rates. Photo cuts furnished at cost. Campaign printing must be paid for when orders are placed.

We will be glad to assist you with your advertising.

**Avalanche Office Phone 111**

**YOU SAID IT!**

In the AuSable—swiftly running—  
Lived a brown trout, of devilish cunning,  
That had fooled the wily anglers year and year;  
He'd evaded hooks and "spinners"  
As he stripped them for his dinners  
But—to snag him, none had yet come even near.

So, that fish—shrewd and sagacious—  
Started many tales, fallacious;  
Tales that, by repeated telling, grew and grew  
And many a lying snapper  
Kept his poor wife waiting dinner  
While he spun yarns of that fish that were not true.

Thus, by written words, and vocal,  
Was his fame, once strictly local  
Noised abroad until a challenge it became,  
For some son of Isaac Walton  
To go forth and call a halt on  
What has now, 'twixt fish and man, become a game.

But, though anglers came aplenty,  
Aye—in groups of ten or twenty—  
None of them could lure that fish from out his lair;  
And no matter how they angled  
Always out of reach he dangled  
Till they gave up trials to hook him in despair.

Then, one day a little laddie  
Came to fish there, with his daddy,  
With a fly rod, and some feathers on a hook;  
And that finny sage—though clever—  
Succumbed to his first endeavor  
And, that night, the boys folks had the fish to cook.

Now, what made that fish behave so,  
Is a thing we shall not know  
And who cares about such trifles, anyway?  
But Ill bet you something, Mister,  
That the Kid's DAD threw a "twister"  
When his son reeled in that famous fish that day.

—F. V. CARR

**Want Ads**

DESK WANTED—Notify L. B. Merritt, CCC Camp No. 672, Grayling.

MAN WANTED for Rawleigh Route of 800 families. Write immediately. Rawleigh, Dept. MCH-39-SA, Freeport, Ill.

FOUND—Boston or English bull dog strayed to a Grayling home today. Owner should communicate with Avalanche Office. Phone 111.

WANTED—A single room in private home by young man working in Grayling. Inquire at Avalanche office.

Sewing done reasonably and satisfaction guaranteed.—Ruth Mack-Poley.

MEN WANTED—To cut pulpwood, \$2.25 per cord; board 60c per day. See Bob Garland at Burke Oil Station. 7-26-2

LOST—Saturday, July 21, bundle of laundry, containing a number of cook's white uniforms, between CCC camp 672 and Roscommon. Phone 133 or leave word at Avalanche office. Reward.

WANTED—Competent maid for housework. Must be good cook. Give age, experience and wages wanted. Steady position to right party. Address Mrs. C. M. Mercer, Gen. Delivery, Grayling, Mich.

FOR SALE—Rifle, a 38.55 in good condition; cook stove; yearling heifer. Cheap if taken soon. Call on or address Elgie Baldwin, Frederic.

FOR SALE—One Pyrofax gas stove complete with all necessary equipment. Address your inquiries to Box 116, Grayling.

**Lucyle is Ready for the 1934 State Fair**

Miss Lucyle Roberts of Antlers, Oklahoma, is one of the score of women bronk busters who will ride in the World's Championship Rodeo at the Michigan State Fair, Detroit, August 31 to September 9. Fair President James B. Jones says she is pictured here with two beautiful white horses who have already ridden with her expert riding—of \$7,000 will be awarded to winners of the various contests in the rodeo.

**Take This Coupon**

TO MAC & GIDLEY'S  
DRUG STORE  
And Get a \$1.00 Bottle of  
WA-HOO BITTERS  
For 25 Cents

The Old Indian Blood, Nerve, Stomach, Liver and Kidney Remedy on the market since 1858. This is an introductory offer for a few days only. Not good after Saturday, August 11. Positively not over three (3) bottles to a person. We publish no testimonials but ask you to try this Old Indian Root and Herb Remedy. A remedy of positive merit and natural laxative!

Be sure it bears the name C. K. Wilson. 8-2-2



## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## Grayling School District No. 1

## Library Fund

Balance on hand July 1, 1933 \$332.86  
Receipts None  
Total \$332.86

Expenditures:  
2991 Aug. 22, 1933 W. F. Quarrie Co., books \$ 66.00  
3053 Nov. 22, 1933 Henry Holt Co., books 6.13  
3055 Nov. 22, 1933 Junior Guild, books 19.50  
3058 Nov. 22, 1933 J. B. Lippincott, books 5.17  
3109 Feb. 8, 1934 A. C. McClurg Co., books 103.11  
3180 May 8, 1934 The Grolier Co., books 45.06  
Total expended \$244.97  
Balance June 30, 1934 \$87.89  
Total \$332.86

## Primary Fund

Balance on hand July 1, 1933 \$646.62

Receipts during the year:  
Sept. 5, 1933 Turner Fund \$ 683.44  
Sept. 16, 1933 Primary Fund 6,335.07  
Sept. 16, 1933 Turner Fund 1,025.16  
Nov. 27, 1933 Primary Fund 679.00  
Nov. 27, 1933 Turner Fund 1,879.44  
May 22, 1934 Primary Fund 1,527.75  
May 22, 1934 Turner Fund 939.74  
May 22, 1934 Primary Fund 939.74  
June 18, 1934 Primary Fund 679.00  
June 18, 1934 Voted Tax 3,000.00  
Total receipts including balance on hand \$18,334.96

Expenditures for the year:  
R. R. Burns, salary \$1,980.00  
Gerald Poor, salary 1,320.00  
Willard Cornell, salary 1,180.00  
Frank Bond, salary 1,080.00  
Norine Berry, salary 1,040.00  
Mrs. Evelyn Schmidt, salary 1,040.00  
Josephine Nichols, salary 880.00  
Beatrice Freeman, salary 880.00  
Margaret Fyvie, salary 840.00  
Mrs. Hazel Trudgen, salary 800.00  
Margaret Douglas, salary 800.00  
Francis Hewens, salary 800.00  
Olga Everard, salary 800.00  
Ina Marie Tapio, salary 800.00  
Cora Lewis, salary 800.00  
Shirley McNeven, salary 800.00  
Total \$16,760.00  
Balance on hand June 30, 1934 \$1,574.96  
Total \$18,334.96

## General Fund

Balance on hand July 1, 1933 \$5,619.06  
Sept. 16, 1933 Delinquent tax 683.35  
Oct. 21, 1933 Stock room sales 207.75  
Dec. 15, 1933 Stock room sales 180.74  
Jan. 10, 1934 Tuition, foreign students 270.00  
Feb. 17, 1934 Stock room sales 55.00  
March 5, 1934 Tuition, foreign students 210.00  
March 17, 1934 Smith Hughes Federal allotment 624.00  
March 17, 1934 Tuition, foreign students 100.00  
April 26, 1934 Stock room sales 142.80  
May 12, 1934 Stock room sales 50.00  
May 22, 1934 Voted tax 2,668.46  
May 26, 1934 Stock room sales 32.00  
June 9, 1934 Tuition, foreign students 10.00  
June 9, 1934 For electric service 24.00  
June 9, 1934 Stock room sales 35.00  
June 21, 1934 Stock room sales 29.58  
June 30, 1934 State land tax 677.23  
June 30, 1934 State land tax 786.89  
June 30, 1934 Delinquent tax 373.03  
June 30, 1934 Delinquent tax 957.15  
June 30, 1934 State land tax 798.50  
June 30, 1934 Delinquent tax 1,367.08  
June 30, 1934 State land tax 1,099.52  
June 30, 1934 10% Bank of Grayling (dividend) \$17,215.20  
Total \$17,215.20

Expenditures, July 1, 1933 to June 30, 1934:  
To orders drawn as follows \$8,066.75  
Balance on hand June 30, 1934 \$9,148.45  
Total \$17,215.20

2979 July 2, 1933 Sherman Neal, janitor 12.32  
2980 July 12, 1933 Grayling Hardware, supplies 12.32  
2981 July 21, 1933 O. P. Schumann, printing 28.25  
2982 July 25, 1933 Mich. Public Service Co., service 34.48  
2983 July 25, 1933 Telephone Co., service 3.75  
2984 July 31, 1933 Sherman Neal, janitor 100.00  
2985 Aug. 5, 1933 Grayling State Savings Bank, bill lading 13.25  
2986 Aug. 5, 1933 Maurice Gorman, labor 6.60  
2987 Aug. 11, 1933 Anton Kangas, labor 10.65  
2988 Aug. 15, 1933 Telephone Co., service 12.90  
2989 Aug. 17, 1933 Scott Foreman Co., books 40.62  
2990 Aug. 17, 1933 Mich. Public Service Co., service 10.56  
2992 Aug. 22, 1933 Miss Nina Parish, globe 4.00  
2993 Aug. 23, 1933 Bookstanz Bros., floor service 105.39  
2994 Aug. 31, 1933 C. Hoesli, freight and dray 15.15  
2995 Sept. 1, 1933 Sherman Neal, janitor 100.00  
2996 Sept. 2, 1933 Grayling Hardware, supplies 1.50  
2997 Sept. 2, 1933 Grayling Hardware, supplies 1.50  
2998 Sept. 7, 1933 Gregg Pub. Co., books 5.63  
2999 Sept. 8, 1933 S. D. Palmer, labor and supplies 55.38  
3000 Sept. 9, 1933 Grayling Fuel Co., coal 34.34  
3001 Sept. 9, 1933 Maurice Gorman, labor and material 70.30  
3002 Sept. 12, 1933 Anton Kangas, labor and material 14.85  
3003 Sept. 12, 1933 Lorane Sparkes, bond, insurance 25.00  
3004 Sept. 13, 1933 Maurice Gorman, labor and material 38.00  
3005 Sept. 14, 1933 O. P. Schumann, printing 61.25  
3006 Sept. 20, 1933 S. D. Palmer, labor 3.55  
3007 Sept. 21, 1933 Telephone Co., service 3.75  
3008 Sept. 25, 1933 E. N. Darveau, Agt., express chg. 3.96  
3009 Sept. 25, 1933 Mich. Public Service, service 21.56  
3010 July 27, 1933 U. S. Postoffice, envelopes 27.10  
3011 Sept. 28, 1933 Nick Schlotz, supplies 19.81  
3012 Sept. 29, 1933 Sherman Neal, janitor 100.00  
3013 Oct. 4, 1933 Maurice Gorman, labor 2.25  
3014 Oct. 5, 1933 M. C. R. Co., freight 192.00  
3015 Oct. 5, 1933 Greenhouse, flowers 7.50  
3016 Oct. 5, 1933 Grayling Hardware, supplies 19.84  
3017 Oct. 10, 1933 Mary Darling, laundry 1.25  
3018 Oct. 11, 1933 Carl Hanson, hauling coal 38.03  
3019 Oct. 18, 1933 Sherman Neal, janitor 50.00  
3020 Oct. 21, 1933 S. D. Palmer, labor 3.10  
3021 Oct. 24, 1933 E. V. Smith, piano tuning 13.00  
3022 Oct. 25, 1933 Telephone Co., service 11.65  
3023 Oct. 25, 1933 Mich. Public Service, service 43.99  
3024 Oct. 31, 1933 E. N. Darveau, Agt., express 1.99  
3025 Oct. 31, 1933 Sherman Neal, janitor 50.00  
3026 Nov. 2, 1933 Mary Darling, laundry 1.41  
3027 Nov. 6, 1933 Wheeler Pub. Co., supplies 4.68  
3028 Nov. 7, 1933 H. Skingley, wiring 2.00  
3029 Nov. 9, 1933 Dagmar Juhl, office work 13.00  
3030 Nov. 10, 1933 John L. Young, machine repair 12.71  
3031 Nov. 11, 1933 Michigan Company Inc., supplies 35.34  
3032 Nov. 11, 1933 S. D. Palmer, labor and material 21.50  
3033 Nov. 14, 1933 Sherman Neal, janitor 50.00  
3034 Nov. 21, 1933 Tropical Paint Co., paint 58.05  
3035 Nov. 21, 1933 Pioneer Mfg. Co., supplies 28.13  
3036 Nov. 21, 1933 A. N. Palmer Co., supplies 4.24  
3037 Nov. 21, 1933 Allyn and Bacon, books 105.08  
3038 Nov. 21, 1933 Acme Chemical Co., supplies 38.09  
3039 Nov. 21, 1933 American Book Co., books 22.69  
3040 Nov. 21, 1933 George Burke, dry cells 2.25  
3041 Nov. 22, 1933 Mary Darling, laundry 1.22  
3042 Nov. 22, 1933 Cary Safe Co., safe key .50  
3043 Nov. 22, 1933 O. P. Schumann, printing 10.00  
3044 Nov. 22, 1933 Education Music Co., supplies 5.55  
3045 Nov. 22, 1933 Sherman Neal, janitor 33.91  
3046 Nov. 22, 1933 Grayling Box Co., lumber 13.20  
3047 Nov. 22, 1933 Grayling Fuel Co., coal 65.00  
3048 Nov. 22, 1933 Grayling Merc. Co., supplies 6.45  
3049 Nov. 22, 1933 Gregg Pub. Co., supplies .84  
3050 Nov. 22, 1933 Hanson Hardware Co., supplies 9.77  
3051 Nov. 22, 1933 D. C. Heath & Co., books 6.07  
3052 Nov. 22, 1933 J. R. Hellmer Co., books 1.00  
3053 Nov. 22, 1933 Houghton Mifflin Co., books 113.14  
3054 Nov. 22, 1933 Kerry & Hanson Flooring Co., flooring 2.31  
3055 Nov. 22, 1933 Laidlaw Bros., books 12.26  
3056 Nov. 22, 1933 Low & Campbell Co., supplies 18.13  
3057 Nov. 22, 1933 Lyon & Carnahan Co., books 16.44

3061 Nov. 22, 1933 Mac & Gidley, supplies 4.90  
3062 Nov. 22, 1933 Michigan School Service Co., supplies 43.82  
3063 Nov. 22, 1933 C. E. Merrill Co., books 3.41  
3064 Nov. 22, 1933 E. P. McFadden Co., supplies 74.99  
3065 Nov. 22, 1933 Panama Carbon Co., supplies 8.00  
3066 Nov. 22, 1933 Remington Rand Co., supplies 24.59  
3067 Nov. 22, 1933 E. M. Roe & Co., supplies 10.91  
3068 Nov. 22, 1933 Frank Saker, bond, insurance 25.00  
3069 Nov. 23, 1933 Seaman Paters Co., supplies 16.17  
3070 Nov. 23, 1933 South West Pub. Co., books 9.57  
3071 Nov. 23, 1933 Scott Foreman Co., books 205.16  
3072 Nov. 23, 1933 School Service Co., supplies 23.75  
3073 Nov. 23, 1933 Webster Pub. Co., books 5.40  
3074 Nov. 23, 1933 John C. Winston Co., books 44.55  
3075 Nov. 23, 1933 Russell Wright, books .84  
3076 Nov. 23, 1933 Russell Wright, books 1.40  
3077 Nov. 25, 1933 Telephone Co., service 3.75  
3078 Nov. 25, 1933 Mich. Public Service Co., service 50.34  
3079 Nov. 25, 1933 Grayling Box Co., supplies 4.00  
3080 Nov. 29, 1933 Standard Oil Co., lubricating oil 50.04  
3081 Dec. 1, 1933 Sherman Neal, janitor 1.85  
3082 Dec. 6, 1933 Grayling Hardware, supplies 101.40  
3083 Dec. 6, 1933 Columbia Minors Co., local 473.80  
3084 Dec. 15, 1933 Mich. School Service Co., supplies 50.00  
3085 Dec. 15, 1933 Sherman Neal, janitor 1.90  
3086 Dec. 15, 1933 Mary Darling, laundry 25.00  
3087 Dec. 21, 1933 E. L. Sparkes, services, C.W.A. 3.90  
3088 Dec. 23, 1933 C. Hoesli, freight and dray 2.75  
3089 Dec. 23, 1933 Telephone Co., service 52.42  
3090 Dec. 23, 1933 Mich. Public Service, service 3.31  
3091 Dec. 27, 1933 Grayling Box Co., lumber 8.00  
3092 Dec. 30, 1933 Len Leenhauer, labor 370.45  
3093 Jan. 1, 1934 Emil Niederer, coal 50.00  
3094 Jan. 1, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 50.00  
3095 Jan. 3, 1934 Dagmar Juhl, office work 8.40  
3096 Jan. 3, 1934 Ted Wheeler, labor 106.00  
3097 Jan. 9, 1934 M. A. Bates, salary 42.00  
3098 Jan. 11, 1934 Willard Cornell, Ath. work 60.00  
3099 Jan. 19, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 8.65  
3100 Jan. 19, 1934 Telephone Co., service 34.86  
3101 Jan. 19, 1934 Mich. Public Service Co., service 10.00  
3102 Jan. 20, 1934 Ted Wheeler, labor 23.10  
3103 Jan. 20, 1934 Harold Coutts, labor 1.60  
3104 Jan. 27, 1934 Harold Schmidt, labor 50.00  
3105 Jan. 31, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 8.80  
3106 Feb. 1, 1934 Ina Marie Tapio, expense 21.00  
3107 Feb. 1, 1934 Willard Cornell, Ath. work 28.00  
3108 Feb. 3, 1934 O. P. Schumann, bonds, insurance 9.10  
3109 Feb. 5, 1934 Grayling Hardware, supplies 1.62  
3110 Feb. 8, 1934 United Trucks Line, freight 22.20  
3111 Feb. 10, 1934 Harold Coutts, labor 136.00  
3112 Feb. 13, 1934 Frank Sales, insurance 181.28  
3113 Feb. 13, 1934 Lorane Sparkes, insurance 22.66  
3114 Feb. 13, 1934 Lorane Sparkes, insurance 1.72  
3115 Feb. 13, 1934 Mary Darling, laundry 2.06  
3116 Feb. 13, 1934 Hurl Deckrow, labor 3.00  
3117 Feb. 13, 1934 Matilda Engel, office work 50.00  
3118 Feb. 15, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 4.20  
3119 Feb. 15, 1934 Anton Kangas, labor 46.54  
3120 Feb. 20, 1934 Mich. Public Service, service 4.50  
3121 Feb. 20, 1934 Telephone Co., service 60.00  
3122 Feb. 20, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 17.45  
3123 Feb. 27, 1934 S. D. Palmer, labor and materials 218.50  
3124 Feb. 27, 1934 Emil Niederer, coal 4.05  
3125 March 2, 1934 Anton Kangas, labor 1.22  
3126 March 8, 1934 Mary Darling, laundry 18.00  
3127 March 12, 1934 S. D. Palmer, labor and material 90.64  
3128 March 12, 1934 O. P. Schumann, insurance 349.06  
3129 March 12, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 17.10  
3130 March 21, 1934 Emil Niederer, coal 50.52  
3131 March 21, 1934 Harold Coutts, labor 61.46  
3132 March 22, 1934 Carl Hanson, hauling coal 5.10  
3133 March 24, 1934 Mich. Public Service, service 67.98  
3134 March 24, 1934 Telephone Co., service 62.56  
3135 March 26, 1934 Frank Sales, insurance 6.00  
3136 March 26, 1934 S. D. Palmer, labor 1.25  
3137 March 27, 1934 Mary Darling, laundry 9.20  
3138 March 27, 1934 Grayling Hardware, supplies 35.00  
3139 March 27, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 27.80  
3140 March 27, 1934 R. R. Burns, expenses 35.44  
3141 March 29, 1934 Conning Grocery, supplies 50.00  
3142 March 29, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 54.61  
3143 March 31, 1934 Thos. L. Lesky, labor on machines 5.00  
3144 April 13, 1934 Telephone Co., service 8.26  
3145 April 14, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 8.26  
3146 April 14, 1934 S. D. Palmer, labor 45.32  
3147 April 16, 1934 O. P. Schumann, insurance 12.00  
3148 April 16, 1934 Archie Crispus, laundry 5.00  
3149 April 16, 1934 Margaret Engel, office work 40.85  
3150 April 16, 1934 Nick Schlotz, supplies 70.14  
3151 April 16, 1934 Mich. Public Service, service 19.26  
3152 April 26, 1934 S. D. Palmer, labor and material 50.00  
3153 April 30, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 9.18  
3154 May 7, 1934 Grayling Merc. Co., supplies 2.50  
3155 May 7, 1934 S. D. Palmer, labor 9.23  
3156 May 7, 1934 Crippled Child Com., tuition 1.43  
3157 May 8, 1934 Mary Darling, laundry 38.66  
3158 May 8, 1934 Frank Sales, insurance .50  
3159 May 8, 1934 Chris Olsen, supplies 5.60  
3160 May 8, 1934 Sorenson Bros., supplies 16.55  
3161 May 8, 1934 Hanson Hardware, supplies 10.01  
3162 May 8, 1934 Grayling Box Co., lumber 8.25  
3163 May 8, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 25.00  
3164 May 8, 1934 Mac & Gidley, supplies 23.55  
3165 May 8, 1934 C. J. McNamara, expenses 39.23  
3166 May 8, 1934 Acme Chemical Co., supplies 1.34  
3167 May 8, 1934 Allyn & Bacon, Co., books 3.73  
3168 May 8, 1934 American Book Co., books 30.18  
3169 May 8, 1934 Scott Foreman Co., books 2.20  
3170 May 8, 1934 F. A. Owen Pub. Co., books 7.91  
3171 May 8, 1934 J. I. Holcomb Co., supplies 3.75  
3172 May 8, 1934 Grover's, supplies 1.15  
3173 May 8, 1934 Ginn and Co., books 6.40  
3174 May 8, 1934 Detroit Teachers Agt., supplies 26.20  
3175 May 11, 1934 R. R. Burns, expenses 50.00  
3176 May 15, 1934 Maurice Gorman, labor 2.75  
3177 May 15, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 58.48  
3178 May 19, 1934 Telephone Co., service 3.00  
3179 May 19, 1934 Mich. Public Service, service 8.00  
3180 May 20, 1934 C. J. McNamara, salary 3.74  
3181 May 20, 1934 George Sorenson, salary 2.40  
3182 May 20, 1934 Jas. McDonnell, salary 20.00  
3183 May 20, 1934 T. P. Peterson, salary 20.00  
3184 May 20, 1934 M. A. Bates, salary 20.00  
3185 May 25, 1934 Morley Bros., supplies 47.39  
3186 May 29, 1934 S. D. Palmer, labor 3.22  
3187 May 31, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 50.00  
3188 May 31, 1934 Walter LaMotte, labor (truck) 14.70  
3189 May 31, 1934 Matilda Engel, office work 3.00  
3190 May 31, 1934 C. J. McNamara, salary 6.00  
3191 June 11, 1934 Grayling Hardware, supplies 5.90  
3192 June 11, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 50.00  
3193 June 18, 1934 Bookstanz Bros., floor work 229.25  
3194 June 18, 1934 Mich. School Service, supplies 2.75  
3195 June 21, 1934 Telephone Co., service 29.58  
3196 June 21, 1934 Mich. Public Service, service 8.00  
3197 June 21, 1934 Matilda Engel, office work 3.74  
3198 June 22, 1934 Mary Darling, laundry 2.40  
3199 June 23, 1934 Howard Neal, labor 50.00  
3200 June 23, 1934 Sherman Neal, janitor 50.00

Summary of Accounts  
Total balance on hand in all funds July 1, 1933 \$6,598.54  
Receipt Library Fund None  
Receipt Primary Fund 17,688.34  
Receipt General Fund 11,596.14  
Total receipts including balance on hand \$35,883.02

Expenditures:  
From Library Fund \$ 244.97  
From Primary Fund 16,760.00  
From General Fund 8,066.75  
Total expended during the year \$25,071.72  
Balance on hand June 30, 1934 \$10,811.30  
Total \$35,883.02

## South Branch Township Unit

Minutes of business meeting, July 9, 1934.  
Board called to order by Boyd J. Funch. Moved by Leda Scott and supported by Flossie Dyer that Boyd J. Funch act as chairman. Motion carried.  
Moved by Jennie Richardson and supported by Leda Scott that

Laura Williams and Flossie Dyer act as clerks. Motion carried.  
Moved by Flossie Dyer and supported by Laura Williams that Leda Scott and Jennie Richardson act as inspectors of election. Motion carried.  
Minutes of last annual meeting were read. Moved by S. A. Dyer and supported by Alvin Scott, that the minutes be accepted as read. Motion carried.  
Moved by Alice Scott and supported by Flossie Dyer, that the summary of the school expenditures be read. Motion carried.  
Financial Report was read. Moved by Alice Scott and supported by Mattie E. Funch that the report be accepted as read. Motion carried.  
Moved by S. A. Dyer and supported by Avery Babcock, that we have nine months school. Motion carried.  
Moved by Flossie Dyer and supported by Mattie E. Funch that the budget be accepted as voted by the board. Motion carried.  
Moved by S. A. Dyer and supported by Avery Babcock, that the salaries of the treasurer and secretary be the same as at present. Motion carried.  
Moved by Alice Scott and supported by Laura Williams that the board adjourn. Motion carried.  
Polls declared closed.  
The board proceeded to canvass the election ballots with the following results:  
Total number of votes cast for treasurer, 31; Leda M. Scott received 21; Edith McGilts received 10. Leda Scott having received a majority of votes cast was declared elected.  
Total number of votes cast for secretary was 28; Alice R. Scott received 23; Louise Williams received 5. Alice R. Scott having received a majority of votes cast was declared elected.  
31 voted ballots. 49 unvoted ballots.  
Moved by Laura Williams and supported by Flossie Dyer, that we adjourn. Motion carried.

Signed,  
Jennie Richardson, Sec., pro tem.  
Boyd J. Funch, Pres., pro tem.  
Leda M. Scott, Treasurer.

## Receipts and Balance on Hand

Balance on hand including uncashed checks \$2,189.91  
Primary receipts including \$200 transfer from general fund 979.96  
Delinquent tax 723.37  
Voted tax 788.00  
Library None  
National Forest Service 175.87  
Other sources—Auditor General, State land, etc. 408.35  
Refund on fire insurance 11.90  
Total receipts including balance on hand \$5,277.36

## Expenditures—General Fund

Order No.  
1 Leda M. Scott, treas. salary (6 mo.) and mileage \$ 19.25  
2 Fred H. Hartman, board meeting and mileage 2.90  
3 Flossie M. Dyer, board meeting and mileage (2) 5.00  
4 Emma J. Lelme, board meeting and mileage (2) 4.60  
5 Jas. E. Richardson, sec. salary (3 mo.) and mileage 20.50  
6 Maude Kiemle, refund on retirement fund 5.40  
7 Claude A. LaRoque, plaster 1.50  
8 O. P. Schumann, printing report 15.00  
9 J. H. Shults & Co., election supplies 4.78  
10 Rutledge Bros., hardware 1.80  
11 August Funk, well repair 4.55  
12 American Book Co., textbooks 42.74  
13 Michigan School Service, books and supplies 8.00  
14 S. A. Dyer, trucking 2.25  
15 Gerrish-Higgins Twp. Unit, tuition 400.00  
16 Charles DeWaele, Treas. bond 17.50  
17 Roscommon State Bank, interest 6.05  
18 Fred H. Hartman, board meeting and mileage (2) 5.80  
19 Teachers Retirement Fund 21.60  
20 Mrs. John W. Payne, institute fees 1.50  
21 Emma J. Lelme, board meeting and mileage 2.30  
22 Flossie M. Dyer, board meet and mileage (3) 7.50  
23 Fred H. Hartman, board meet and mileage 2.90  
24 Laura Williams, board meet and mileage (2) 4.40  
25 Henrietta Hartman, cleaning school 2.50  
26 J. Porter Boyce, labor 5.50  
27 Wesley Scott, cleaning school 2.50  
28 Jennie Richardson, cleaning school 2.50  
29 Fred H. Hartman, board meet and mileage 2.90  
30 Laura Williams, board meet and mileage 2.20  
31 Flossie Dyer, board meet and mileage 2.50  
32 Leda Scott, special meet and mileage 9.15  
33 Jas. E. Richardson, special meet and mileage 9.65  
34 Moss Collins, labor .50  
35 Myrtle Papenfus, teaching 1st mo. 45.00  
36 Pauline Edmonds, teaching 1st mo. 45.00  
37 Grace Kreuzer, teaching 1st month 45.00  
38 Frank Corwin, fuel for one school 19.26  
39 Alvin Scott, fuel for one school 19.50  
40 Pauline Edmonds, teaching 2nd month 45.00  
41 Myrtle Papenfus, teaching 2nd mo. 45.00  
42 Grace Kreuzer, teaching 2nd mo. 45.00  
43 Dr. C. A. Shortt, tuition at West Branch H. S. 50.00  
44 J. Porter Boyce, hauling desks 1.00  
45 Fred H. Hartman, board meet and mileage 2.90  
46 Flossie Dyer, board meet and mileage 2.50  
47 Laura Williams, board meet and mileage 2.20  
48 Grace Kreuzer, teaching 3rd mo. 45.00  
49 State Savings Bank, payment of overdraft 41.57  
50 Fred H. Hartman, board meet and mileage 2.90  
51 Flossie Dyer, board meet and mileage 2.50  
52 Leda M. Scott, services as treasurer (6 mo.) 17.60  
53 Jas. E. Richardson, services as secretary (6 mo.) 50.00  
54 Laura Williams, board meet and mileage 2.20  
55 Fred H. Hartman, board meet and mileage 2.90  
56 Laura Williams, board meet and mileage 2.20  
57 Flossie Dyer, board meet and mileage 2.50  
58 Albert Atwood, hauling wood 5.96  
59 Frank Fire Insurance Co., insurance 26.16  
60 Frank Corwin, fuel for school 13.30  
61 Hugo Schreiber, fuel for school 3.00  
62 D. E. Matheson, election ballots 4.08  
63 J. H. Shults & Co., secretary's supplies 13.65  
64 Rutledge Bros., school supplies 6.95  
65 O. P. Schumann, printing report 15.00  
66 Bert's Garage, stove board 2.00  
67 Fred H. Hartman, board meet and mileage 2.90  
68 Flossie Dyer, board meet and mileage 2.50  
69 Laura Williams, board meet and mileage 2.20  
70 Avery Babcock, fuel for school 19.26  
71 Jas. Richardson, 3d quarter of sec. salary 25.00  
72 Gerrish-Higgins Twp. Unit, tuition 935.59  
73 Dr. O. A. Shortt, tuition at West Branch 50.00  
Transfer to Primary fund 200.00

## Expenditures—Primary Fund

1 Myrtle Papenfus, teaching 3d month \$45.00  
2 Pauline Edmonds, teaching 3d month 45.00  
3 Grace Kreuzer, teaching 4th month 45.00  
4 Pauline Edmonds, teaching 4th month 45.00  
5 Myrtle Papenfus, teaching 4th month 45.00  
6 Myrtle Papenfus, teaching 5th month 45.00  
7 Grace Kreuzer, teaching 5th month 45.00  
8 Pauline Edmonds, teaching 5th month 45.00  
9 Myrtle Papenfus, teaching 5th grade 45.00  
10 Pauline Edmonds, teaching 6th month 45.00  
11 Grace Kreuzer, teaching 6th month 45.00  
12 Pauline Edmonds, teaching 7th month 45.00  
13 Grace Kreuzer, teaching 7th month 45.00  
14 Myrtle Papenfus, teaching 7th month 45.00  
15 Myrtle Papenfus, teaching 8th month 45.00  
16 Pauline Edmonds, teaching 8th month 45.00  
17 Grace Kreuzer, teaching 8th month 45.00  
18 Grace Kreuzer, teaching 9th month 45.00  
19 Pauline Edmonds, teaching 9th month 45.00  
20 Myrtle Papenfus, teaching 9th month 45.00

## Expenditures—Library Fund

1 W. F. Quarrie Co., world books \$31.36  
Total expenditures in all departments including uncashed checks from previous years (\$138.38) \$3,559.14  
Total receipts and balance on hand \$5,277.36  
Total expenditures \$3,559.14  
Balance on hand July 1, 1934 \$1,718.22  
Checks remaining uncashed \$3.75  
Cash in treasury \$1,722.00  
Expenditures for administration \$363.51  
Expenditures for instruction 1,243.99  
Expenditures for tuition 1,435.69  
Expenditures for operation 121.08  
Expenditures for maintenance 19.10  
Expenditures for miscellaneous 287.41  
Total Expenditures \$3,420.76  
Uncashed checks \$138.38  
Total expenditures and uncashed checks as shown by itemized account \$3,559.14

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PORT MANSFIELD, OHIO

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the 20th day of July A. D. 1934.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Reuter, deceased.

Joseph Reuter, Jr.



## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE  
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, August 3, 1911

### Grayling Couple Wedded

The marriage of Miss Katherine Bates to Mr. Benjamin Jerome at the Methodist Episcopal church last evening was one of the most delightful social events that has ever occurred in this city. Rev. A. R. Mitchell, of Algonac was the officiating clergyman.

The bridal party appeared at the east entrance as Mandelstohn's wedding march sounded, played by Mr. Arthur Fournier, of Royal Oak. As the groom came forward to meet the bride, a solo, "O Perfect Love" was sung by Miss Katherine McPeak. Mr. Otto Pokorny, of Detroit, and Mr. Fred Welsh, of Reed City, acted as ushers; Miss Lillian Bates as maid of honor and Miss Mildred Bates as ring bearer. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. George Jerome.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Jerome received nearly two hundred of their friends in Danabod hall.

They left on the morning train for Mackinac Island, from which point they leave soon for a trip on the lakes. They will be at home after September first at 433 Horton Avenue, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Miss Leah Clark is confined to her home with tonsillitis.

Miss Ella Guild, former teacher in our schools here, is a guest of Mrs. Olaf Michelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Fournier and Mr. Arthur Fournier will occupy their cottage at the lake for a few weeks.

Ex-Sheriff Amidon is building a cement block house on the farm of D. Kneth, about five miles down the river.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Michelson spent Sunday at Lovell's guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Kuehl.

Mrs. Emil Hanson gave a miscellaneous shower last Saturday afternoon for Miss Katherine Bates. Last Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harrington gave a six o'clock dinner for Miss Bates.

Misses Eleanor and Ethelyn Woodfield have been visiting their sister Mrs. Archie McKay at West Branch during the past week.

Mrs. Hughes and children, of Detroit, are guests of her mother, Mrs. J. S. Melstrup.

Mrs. M. Weinberg and children, of Saginaw, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kraus.

Olaf Sorenson and Sons have just put in a new soda fountain.

Saturday evening Mrs. Emil Hanson entertained the Valhalla club in honor of Miss Bates, who was one of the original twelve mem-

bers of the club.

Holger Hanson, assistant cashier of Grayling bank, returned last Saturday evening from Grand Rapids where he has been taking treatments at one of the hospitals.

Carl Sorenson, who has been employed at Scott Loader's barber shop for some time left this week for Ypsilanti where he will be engaged in similar work. Jake Collins, of Linden, will take his place here with Mr. Loader.

The miscellaneous shower given last Friday night by Mrs. Olaf Michelson in honor of Miss Katherine Bates was a genuine affair. Vines made to represent cucumber vines, to which were fastened various presents each wrapped to form the shape and appearance of a cucumber, were formed throughout the house. The recipient had to pick the presents and found enough "cucumbers" no doubt to start any couple out with plenty of pickles. It was an enjoyable affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Ostrander, living near Cheney, Mich., received an invitation to an Ostrander family reunion to be held at Belle Isle park August 16th.

Monday evening Grayling Chapter O. E. S. gave an informal farewell party for Mrs. Frank Phelps, who leaves for Hudson soon, and Miss Katherine Bates.

Mrs. Frank Milks and Mrs. Alfred Olson entertained Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. F. Phelps. About 25 ladies enjoyed the afternoon of "500" Mrs. Chas. Preston and Mrs. Emil Hanson received the prizes.

There is an exhibition in Lewis & Co's drug store a rainbow trout caught by Dr. Crumrine recently at Stephens resort, AuSable river. It weighed five pounds and measured 23 1/2 inches.

Beaver Creek Breezes (23 Years Ago)

Mr. Ralph Hanna writes from North Dakota that the crops there are a failure, wheat is only from twelve to fourteen inches high, and everything else is burned up by the long drought. He advises his friends to stay in Michigan.

Miss Elsie Morbenson is home from Flint where she has been visiting since July fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Christensen were guests at Forest View farm last Sunday.

Cheney Pickings (23 Years Ago)

Earl Penn is improving his farm by clearing and breaking ten acres for rye.

Chas. Corwin and wife visited

the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berber last Sunday.

Fire was started on the curve south of Cheney by the Michigan Central mixed train going south at 11:45 last Monday. W. C. Johnson soon had it extinguished by using a sprinkler. This is the fourth fire the trains have started near the same place within a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Funk were in Grayling last Saturday.

## DEPT. OF STATE STATE NEWS BULLETIN

When Secretary of State Frank D. Fitzgerald extended the use of windshield sticker permits until September 1, with the consent of a majority of the legislature, it was decided that other states would not be notified of the action.

This means that Michigan motorists operating their cars after August 1 with 1933 plates and a windshield permit, are liable to be detained if they travel beyond the Michigan borders.

Interest in politics in Michigan is decreasing if the number of candidates filing with the Department of State can be taken as a criterion.

In 1922 a total of 245 candidates were certified by the department for senator, governor, Lieutenant governor, congress and the state legislature. This year petitions were filed for 217 candidates but six filed written notice with the department asking that their petitions be withdrawn.

### Sealed Bids

Sealed bids will be received for re-decorating interior of school building, of District No. 3, up to and including August 11, 1934. Specifications may be had by calling on A. P. Feldhauser, Director. Phone No. 66-F14

8-2-2 School District No. 3

DIED TO END CHINA'S  
ANCIENT BRIDE SLAVERY

An article revealing how nine girls, all of the same household, drowned themselves in a suicide pact as a protest against loveless marriages and family tyranny. See The American Weekly with Sunday's Detroit Times.

## Question Box By ED WYNN The Perfect Fool

Dear Mr. Wynn:

I am a baker and keep a bakery shop. I notice I am losing a lot of money on the doughnuts I make to sell. I can't charge any more than I do now for them. The reason I lose money is, I use too much dough to make them with. What can I do so as to not use as much dough as I use now to make the doughnuts?

Yours truly,  
MACROONS.

Answer—Make the holes in the doughnuts larger and you won't use as much dough.

Dear Mr. Wynn:

I am a girl going to high school and I met a boy whom I like real well. He takes me home every day. He seems to be very nice, but his hands and neck always look unclean to me. I am fifteen years of age, and my hands are very clean, while he is seventeen years of age, and his hands are so much dirtier. How do you account for that?

Sincerely,  
IMA KOED.

Answer—That is easily accounted for. He is two years older than you.

Dear Mr. Wynn:

I am a boy sixteen years of age. One day last week I took a can of black paint and a brush and was painting the front door of our house, which was white, with the black paint. My father saw me, made me stop, and then ordered me away from his home. What is wrong with him?

Sincerely,  
I. M. BROKE.

Answer—You say you were painting a white door with black paint and your father caught you at it and disapproved you. Very simple. He doesn't want you to darken his door again.

Dear Mr. Wynn:

I am blind in one eye. I went to a theater where the price of admission was \$4. I told the ticket seller that I should pay only \$2 for a ticket, as I was blind in one eye, and therefore was only able to see half the show. Wasn't I right?

Truly yours,  
I. O. FAIR.

Answer—You were absolutely wrong. The price of the ticket was \$4. You wanted to pay only \$2 because you say you would have seen just half of the show, as you have but one eye. Because of that fact, I mean that you have only one eye, the ticket seller should have charged you \$3 (double the price), as it would have taken you twice as long to see the whole show.

## Camp News

### Camp Higgins

Cutting wood for the winter months has started at this camp.

A library of new books has been received for distribution among the enrollees. There are 94 books in this set, nearly all of which are recent high class fiction, biography and travel volumes. Sixty-six books were checked out on the opening day. Distribution of library books is to be under the supervision of the educational officer.

Carpenter work on the canteen, recreation room, and educational office is progressing nicely and will soon give the camp all the facilities it had before the fire of June 2nd.

George Westra has been serving as assistant educational adviser. He is from McBain.

A full truck load of boys have been taken to Catholic mass at Grayling each Sunday morning for the past few weeks.

A tennis court is being constructed at the rear of the barracks by members of the camp.

Capt. Murphy is in receipt of a letter from Happy Days, the official publication of the Civilian Conservation Corps, extending congratulations upon Camp Higgins Lake being selected as one of the 25 best organizations in the entire United States. The letter did not explain the basis for making this recognition but officers of the camp feel that it is deserved. A banner has been received that proclaims the recognition.

This company took its full quota of men to the lecture given at Grayling Thursday night of last week by Mr. H. N. Wheeler, chief lecturer of the United States Forestry Service.

Tuesday afternoon was pay day—and now you can hardly borrow a nickel in camp.

### Camp Pioneer

One hundred sixty men were taken to Grayling last Tuesday night to hear the lecture given there at the high school auditorium by Mr. H. N. Wheeler of the U. S. Forest Service.

Dr. Kataman has an enrollment of 28 in the class in first aid which he is teaching.

Paul Weider was taken to Mercy hospital, Grayling, one night last week for removal of the appendix.

Lt. Stanley Cropp is back to his duties at this camp after taking a two weeks' leave which he spent in Chicago.

Capt. Todd has announced his sermon topic this week to be "As Meek as Moses." The Chaplain gives his weekly talk at Camp Pioneer after supper on Wednesday.

A number of new books of late copyright fiction, biography, and travel have been received for use of enrollees.

Enrollees from this camp provided part of the program at the Markey church Sunday, where smiling Ed McConnell, well known NBC artist, sang. The services were well attended. Rev. Starr, the pastor, arranged for the various features. Leonard Warren arranged the program provided by members of this camp.

Pitching horseshoes has become one of the most popular diversions of enrollees.

### Camp AuSable

Need of the CCC  
Camp AuSable can furnish one very outstanding example of how the CCC has proved to be a life-saver to many young men who were having a pretty hard battle with living a year ago.

Back in 1911 a family up in the "copper country" had a new addition to the family and christened him "Mike." A year later another boy came along. When Mike was about two and a half years old his parents took the family back to Europe to what is now Yugoslavia. Then in 1929 Mike, who was then just growing into manhood, decided to come back to the United States and bring the brother with him. Or the past reputation of his father, Mike was able to borrow \$500.00 from a Calumet bank and soon arrived in America and Michigan.

In spite of our well known depression which has caused suicides, divorces, and bank failures, Mike was able to pay back \$400.00 of his debt—but it was a heart-breaking struggle.

Then the CCC was organized and Mike became an enrollee at Camp AuSable. At the rate of \$25.00 a month it didn't take long to pay off the balance of the debt.

Mike is upholding the reputation of his father, and the CCC has relieved him of the worry of making a living and of paying back an obligation.

### Camp Hartwick Pines

One of the projects of Co. 674 for the past two weeks has been the making of improvements at the Grayling Fish hatchery. The main job is the strengthening of the banks of the ponds. In the past, with just dirt banks, they have been constantly washing away and had to be rebuilt often. Such conditions made it almost impossible to keep grass and shrubs on the banks, and the natural beauty of the Fish Hatchery grounds suffered.

This summer, through the use of CCC labor, it is possible to correct these drawbacks in many of the ponds. A crew of twelve boys from Camp Hartwick Pines are busy every day making cement and lining the banks of the ponds with them. Then a solid strip of concrete is poured on top of these slabs to hold them permanently in place. The water level will come just below the top of the cement and the banks are, of course, saved from constant washing away and cave-ins. Now any grass or shrubs planted on the banks will be there permanently and will not have to be replaced two or three times a year.

Also the boys have trimmed out the undesirable brush in the grove on the hill just above the Fish Hatchery.

Mr. Saunders, our Camp Superintendent, has been quite ill the past ten days with a severe attack of flu. His appetite is back again now, so he must be well on the road to recovery.

### OUR GANG DOINGS

Our Gang held two meetings in July. The first was held at the home of Mrs. Geo. Woods. At this meeting twenty members were present and Keno was played with prizes going to Mrs. John Stephen, Mrs. Sydney Robarge, Mrs. Barton Wakeley, Mrs. William Williams and Mrs. Henry Hayes. The Penny prize was given to Mrs. Geo. Lutz.

This meeting was the birthday party for Mrs. Robarge, Mrs. Hayes, and Mrs. J. Stephan and birthday gifts were given by the club. A lovely birthday cake was presented by Mrs. Geo. Lutz.

The meeting for July 12th concluded the meetings of Our Gang for the summer. This meeting was held at the Grove. There were twenty members, besides four guests: Mrs. Hattie Mosher, Mrs. Albert Knabbs, Mrs. Carrie Feldhauser and Mrs. Hurl Deck-row.

Keno was enjoyed with prizes going to Mrs. Wm. McEvers, Mrs. Deway Palmer, Mrs. Kenneth Clise, Mrs. Carrie Feldhauser, Mrs. Andrew Beck and Mrs. Barton Wakeley.

A racing contest was won by Mrs. Deway Palmer, a card contest by Mrs. Sherman Neal, and Mrs. Geo. Lutz was given the Penny prize.

A delicious potluck lunch was served and everyone enjoyed the ice cream and cake.

A birthday cake was made by Mrs. Barton Wakeley for the July birthdays of Mrs. Andrew Beck, Mrs. Earl Broadbent and Mrs. Sherman Neal and these ladies were given gifts from the club.

The next meeting will be sometime in September, the date and place to be decided later.

### LOVELLS

(By Mrs. C. Nephew)

Mr. and Mrs. George Weitzman and children of Detroit enjoyed two weeks at the Pochelon cabin.

Mrs. May Nash Brenton has returned to her home in California, after spending the summer at her summer home, the Nash Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kimberly of Detroit enjoyed their vacation at Pine Club near Lovells.

The Cheerful Givers met with Mrs. Edgar Oaid last Thursday. Week end guests at the Pochelon cabin were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bomb, William and Emma Louise Pochelon, and Charles Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Boutell, have returned to Saginaw after spending some time at Sunset Banks.

Tom Griswold spent the week end with his family.

Miss Clede Caldwell of Detroit visiting relatives in Lovells for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Stow Neill and son Myron, of Ohio, and Leonard Clement and daughters Peggy and Edith of Detroit spent the week end at Big Creek Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Langstrom of Detroit are enjoying a few days at their lodge.

Value of Faults  
"To tell a friend of his faults," said El Ho, the sage of Chinatown. "To tell a friend his faults and making a fault seem more dear to him than a friendship."

## SPECIAL ELECTION

### Election Notice

To the qualified electors of the Village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan,

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held at the Town Hall at the corner of Ottawa and Spruce Streets in the Village of Grayling in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on Wednesday, August 8, 1934, from 7 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time, to vote on the following propositions:

### Proposition 1.

To issue \$37,300.00 Waterworks Mortgage Bonds of the Village of Grayling for the improvement of the Waterworks System.

Shall the Village of Grayling borrow the sum of \$37,300.00 to improve the waterworks system of the Village by the construction of two deep wells complete with pumping equipment and well houses, the construction of a 100,000 gallon elevated steel storage tank, the reconstruction of parts of the existing distribution system and construction of extensions thereto, and the installation of fire hydrants, gate valves, service meters and appurtenances, and issue mortgage bonds of the Village therefor, payable only out of, and secured only by mortgage on the property and revenues of the waterworks system of the Village, including a franchise stating the terms on which, in case of foreclosure, the purchaser may operate the same?

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

### Proposition 2.

To improve the waterworks system of the Village of Grayling, and to mortgage the waterworks system of the village for \$37,300.00 to secure bonds to pay part of the cost thereof, and to grant a security franchise stating the terms on which, in case of foreclosure, the purchaser may operate the same.

Shall the Village of Grayling improve the waterworks system of the Village by the construction of two deep wells complete with pumping equipment and well houses, the construction of a 100,000 gallon elevated steel storage tank, the reconstruction of parts of the existing distribution system, and construction of extensions thereto, and the installation of fire hydrants, gate valves, service meters and appurtenances, mortgage the waterworks system of the Village for \$37,300.00 to secure bonds to be issued to pay part of the cost of such improvement, and grant a security franchise stating the terms on which, in case of foreclosure of said mortgage, the purchaser may operate said system, in substantially the following form:

A franchise is hereby granted, subject to all laws regulating same in force at the time of the execution of said mortgage, to become operative in the event of foreclosure, by which the purchaser at such foreclosure sale may operate said waterworks system for the term of twenty years from and after such sale, and may sell and deliver water therefrom to and within the Village of Grayling, may enter, excavate and use in a reasonable manner the streets, highways, alleys, and other public places of the village for the purpose of laying, repairing, replacing and extending pipes, mains, conduits, and laterals for the conveyance and distribution of water, provided all damage done thereby be promptly and properly repaired, may make additions and extensions to the waterworks system, including wells, storage tanks, pipes, mains, conduits, laterals, buildings, appliances, machinery, pumps, boilers and any other equipment considered desirable by the holder of the franchise; the holder of the franchise, subject to all laws regulating same in force at the time of execution of said mortgage, shall have the right to fix and determine the rules and regulations under which water shall be furnished, and the rates to be charged therefor, which rates shall be, as near as may be, such as will produce a return sufficient to pay (1) operating expenses, (2) maintenance, repair and replacement expenses, (3) cost of improvements, repairs, extensions and additions to the plant or system and (4) to repay within the term of the franchise to the holder thereof the amount of his bid (not to exceed the principal amount of bonds then outstanding and accrued interest thereon, and reasonable expenses of foreclosure, including court costs and attorneys fees), together with a reasonable return to the holder of the franchise on the same invested or paid by him as aforesaid; provided that the village shall pay only the reasonable value of any services furnished to it. Such franchise during the term thereof shall carry the exclusive right to furnish water.

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

Only such persons having the qualifications of electors who

have property assessed for taxes in the Village of Grayling or the lawful husbands or wives of such persons are entitled to vote on Proposition 1. All qualified electors are entitled to vote on Proposition 2.

The Board of Registration will meet on Thursday, July 19, 1934, in the office of the Village Clerk, for the purpose of completing the registration of the Village.

By order of the Village Council,  
July 12, 1934.

Lorane Sparkes,  
Village Clerk.

7-19-3

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, In Chancery.

Thelma Davis, Plaintiff, vs.  
Robert Davis, Defendant.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, In Chancery.

It appearing by the affidavit of Merle F. Nellist, attorney for plaintiff, that the whereabouts of the above named defendant, Robert Davis, are unknown and it cannot be ascertained in what state or country the said defendant, Robert Davis, resides as shown by the said affidavit on file in this cause.

On motion of Merle F. Nellist, attorney for plaintiff, it is ordered that the defendant, Robert Davis, cause his appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order or default will be taken and that this order be published in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper published and circulated in Crawford County, Michigan, within twenty days from the date hereof.

Dated, July 5th, 1934.  
Guy E. Smith,  
Circuit Judge.

7-19-6

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Judge of Probate

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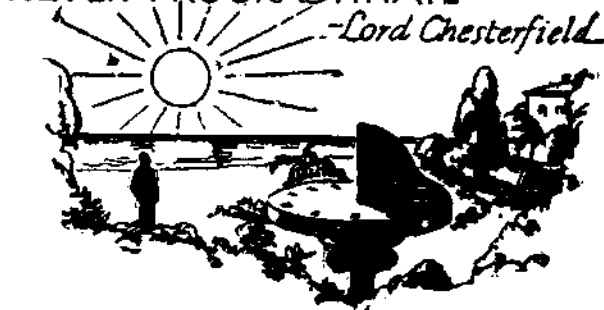
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## News Briefs

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2, 1934

Miss Veronica and Dick Lovely spent the week end in Bay City.

Mrs. T. J. Betts spent a few days last week in Chicago.

Frank Brady is spending a few days in St. Ignace.

Beth Serven of Rogers City is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gierke.

Vote yes on the waterworks question at the special election next Wednesday, August 8th.

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Miss Lorraine Kobanowski, of Roscommon, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Hazel Kobanowski.

At the regular morning service at St. Mary's church next Sunday a large number of children will receive their first holy communion.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Peterson and nephew Ancher Hanson left Monday to spend two weeks visiting Mr. Peterson's son Charles Miller in Marquette.

Meet your Carnival friends at the social to be given Saturday August 11 on the lawn at the home of Mrs. William Weiss. Given by St. Mary's Altar society.

Mrs. Alfred Larson of Johannesburg, Mrs. Fred Norton and her mother Mrs. Sorenson, of Marquette, called on Mrs. Marie Hanson Tuesday.

I will be at my barber shop every day except Saturday to accept payment of Village taxes. Herb Gothro.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tomlinson and son David, and Jackie Horn, of Garden City, spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. White of Detroit spent Friday here. Mrs. White formerly lived here and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Duryea.

Ted Krause, of Lansing, and George Rexor, of Bay City, guided by Clarence Johnson, enjoyed a canoe trip down the AuSable river as far as Lincoln Lodge Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mutchnik, who have been visiting their daughter Mrs. Igloo, for the past week, returned to Chicago today accompanied by their granddaughter Sonia Igloo.

Mrs. John Isenbauer enjoyed a visit from Mr. and Mrs. William Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Clements of Bay City, and John Underwood and daughter Dorothy of Mt. Forest Sunday.

Fred Havens of Jackson has been enjoying guests for several days. Among them are Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bonham and daughter and Mr. C. Farnham and son Walter, all of Jackson.

Don't forget to vote at the special election next Wednesday, August 8th. This is on the waterworks question and is important to every one living in Grayling. It should pass without a negative vote.

Plans are underway to hold a Masonic dancing party at the Officers Club house at the Military reservation on Friday evening, August 10th. This is for the purpose of raising funds for the new Masonic temple that is still to be completed. Charles Webb is chairman of the committee and is being assisted by Ernest Larson and Jesse Sales. Watch for further information and more complete plans that will be circulated soon.

Ralph W. Collen is proud of his truck garden at Lake Margrethe. Besides having for sale chicken broilers and older chickens, and eggs, his garden is a veritable bower of fresh vegetables of just about every kind. Lack of rain has no bad effect on this place for underneath the surface of the ground there is always dampness, and crops grow abundantly. He says that he has no trouble in disposing of his products and that every week he adds new customers.

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Harvey Bessel, of Jackson, was a guest of Miss Lee Granger Sunday.

The Friday club of the L. N. L. will give a bake sale at the Grayling Hardware on Saturday, August 11.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Earl McIntyre and son Jack, of Lansing, were week end guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport at Lake Margrethe.

We are the only dispensary here serving beer drawn by air compression—no gas. It's better. Try it at Lon Collen's, at Fischer Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corwin and their son Ernest, who resides in Flint, and Mrs. Chris Hoeshl spent the week end in Northville visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oron Corwin and family. They also visited in Toledo and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brady and children Sally Lou, Bobby Lee and Mickey, and the former's brother Frank Brady spent the week end in Bentley visiting Mrs. Brady's mother, Mrs. Richard Bartlett.

Ward Gleason, of Cornell, N. Y., is spending some time here visiting his cousin Grant Thompson and family. Mr. and Mrs. John Gleason of Pontiac accompanied him from the latter place and spent the week end here.

Mrs. William Hill motored to Saginaw Monday and on her return was accompanied by her two sons, John and Robert who will spend the remainder of the summer with their parents at Lake Margrethe.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Bearsch have returned from a two weeks trip to New York. In Auburn they visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bearsch and also spent some time in Rochester and Syracuse.

Joan Marie Zettle, three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Zettle, passed away Thursday at her home at Higgins Lake. The funeral was held Saturday in Roscommon. Surviving the little girl are her parents, three sisters and three brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Trudeau and daughter Guinevere returned Sunday from Detroit and were accompanied by the former's mother Mrs. A. J. Trudeau who will spend several weeks visiting among her children and friends here.

St. Mary's Altar society will give a lawn social in the gardens at the home of Mrs. William Weiss on Saturday, August 11. As the Canoe Carnival will be in full swing at that time this will be the ideal place to meet your friends and enjoy refreshments.

Mrs. P. L. Vandermaede and Mr. and Mrs. B. Mulhigner, of Detroit, spent the week end at Lake Margrethe. On their return they were accompanied by Misses Dorothy Vandermaede, Janet Mulhigner, Laura Stem and Betty Shephard, who had been spending the past month at the Milnes cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Louis Kessler entertained a number of young people at her home Tuesday evening in honor of her son Lawrence, the occasion being his birthday. The evening was spent playing pinochle. Mrs. Harry Souders and Miss Laura Ensign winning the prizes for the ladies and E. N. Darveau and Emerson Hoeshl were awarded the head prizes for the gents. It was a very pleasant party.

Capt. Arnold of Cheboygan, who with his wife are in charge of the Salvation Army work in this district was in Grayling yesterday. Capt. Arnold says there is a young woman who comes to Grayling soliciting funds to the name of the Salvation Army who has no right to do so, and believes her to be an impostor. He says his territory extends on the Highway from Cheboygan to Central Lake and no one should solicit funds except he and his wife and a young lady whom they bring with them. So he warns business people to be careful to whom they give their Salvation Army donations.

A visitor of much interest to Grayling people was in town Tuesday in the person of the Reverend Timothy Kroboth. Father Kroboth was on his way on vacation in the North as a part celebration of his Silver Jubilee. The occasion was marked with special celebration and great rejoicing at his parish—St. Andrew's, Saginaw—July 29. The morning program began with a special procession at 10:45, followed by a solemn high mass at which the jubilarian was celebrant assisted by members of his own class. Mr. Anthony Brogger, of Saginaw directed an especially arranged mass—Mass of the Sacred Heart, by Wiegand. The sermon was preached by the Right Reverend Monsignor Anthony Volkert. There was an evening program in St. Andrew's auditorium at which Father Kroboth received his friends. Three Sisters from Mercy Hospital, Grayling were privileged to attend the morning service.

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A tinge of autumn in the air reminds us that the summer is passing rapidly.

The Friday club of the L. N. L. will give a bake sale at the Grayling Hardware on Saturday, August 11.

M. A. Bates is driving a new Oldsmobile purchased through Ben Jerome, Oldsmobile agent at Lansing.

Bill Downer, of Bay City, is spending a week visiting his aunt, and uncle, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport.

The annual picnic of the Danish Sunday School was held yesterday at Otsego Lake. Quite a number attended and everyone reported a very pleasant time.

A party of thirty-three Grayling people enjoyed a dance trip down the river Sunday. Starting from Stephan's bridge they stopped at noon for a picnic lunch at Pine Landing and then continued on to Lincoln Lodge Landing where the trip ended with a delicious supper at the William Christensen cottage.

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Misner's Reveliers have furnished music at Rogers City the last two Sundays for dances given at the Hagersville Pavilion by the business people of that city.

Wayne E. Carpenter, Gilbert A. Briggs and John S. Goble, of Detroit, are spending a week at Lake Margrethe with the former's sister and family, Mrs. Calvin Church.

Charles Corwin, of Pontiac, was a guest of Miss Betty Jerome over the week end. On his return Sunday he was accompanied by Ben Jerome, who had also spent the week end visiting his parents at Lake Margrethe.

Sunday evening about forty officers of the surrounding GOC camps and their wives enjoyed a dinner at the U. S. W. V. Camp at Higgins Lake. Mrs. Igloo, wife of Dr. Igloo made the arrangements, and it was a very pleasant party.

George McPeak and son R. J., of Yakima, Washington, arrived Monday to join his wife and daughter who have been spending several weeks visiting Mrs. McPeak's sister Mrs. Carl Sorenson. George is enjoying meeting his many old school mates and friends again.

Rev. and Mrs. Ira Grubill left yesterday afternoon to visit the seat of the North Michigan conference at Marquette and will go from there to East Flint to attend conference beginning there next Tuesday. Sunday Rev. Stevens of Higgins Lake will preach at the South Side church.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Patch stopped at the home of Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson Sunday enroute from Indian River to Detroit. They were joined by Mrs. Ralph Warner and two children, who had been visiting here for the past two weeks, and Mrs. Jorgenson accompanied her daughter home for a visit.

Rasmus Rasmussen is ill at his home, and under the Doctor's care.

Mr. and Mrs. Holger Schmidt spent the week end in Flint visiting friends.

The Hospital Aid will meet Tuesday, Aug. 7, with Mrs. H. W. Wolff at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Loyl Cameron and son Bobby of Grand Rapids are visiting her mother, Mrs. P. L. Brown.

Don't miss the dance at the Temple Saturday night. An Indian orchestra the "Tommie Hawks" of Muskegon will play.

Theodore Johnson of Detroit is spending a couple of weeks here visiting at the A. E. Hendrickson home.

The annual financial reports of Grayling School District and South Branch township Unit school appear in this issue.

The Ladies Aid of Michelson Memorial church will have potluck luncheon with Mrs. Olaf Michelson Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hyslop of Ovid visited Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert over the week end.

If you want a real glass of draft beer, try ours. It's different and you will notice the improvement at once. Lon Collen at Fischer Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ousterhout who had been visiting the latter's sister Mrs. Arnold Burrows for a couple of weeks, returned to Detroit Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson of Detroit motored here to accompany them home.

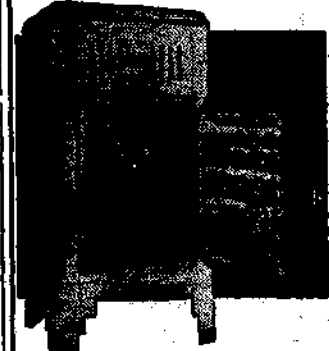
Mrs. Alex LaGrow returned home Wednesday after a several weeks visit in Detroit and Lansing. She was accompanied home by her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Seymour and family of the latter place, who are visiting here.

Rev. Ralph Claggett, wife and two children of Highland Park are here for a couple of weeks visit as guests at the W. E. McCullough cabin on the AuSable. Rev. Claggett was born in Grayling, the son of Sidney Claggett, and his boyhood was spent here. He is pastor of a church in Highland Park.

William Fischer of Detroit is visiting relatives and friends here.

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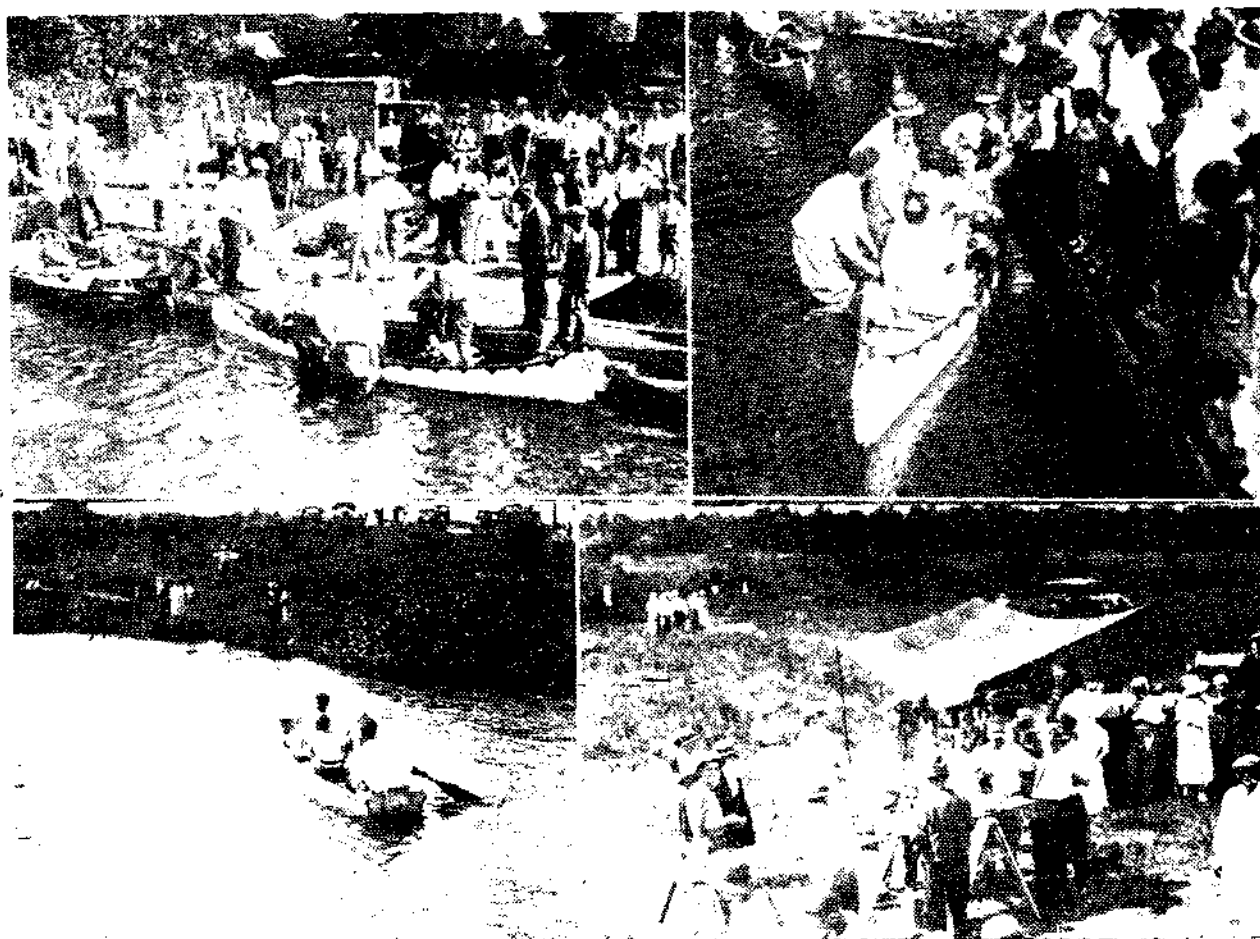
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